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Sir:

In order to comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures, 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821-1.825, Applicants submit herewith the required paper copy and computer readable copy of the Sequence Listing. Please amend the specification in adherence with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821-1.825 as follows.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 3, line 31, with the following rewritten paragraph:

Figs 7A-7B show screen displays illustrating information (SEQ ID NOS:1 and 2) about a particular gene from the display of Fig. 6.

Please insert the accompanying paper copy of the Sequence Listing, page numbers 1 to 4, at the end of the application.

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